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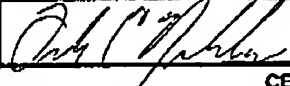
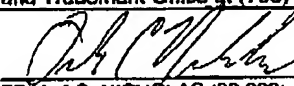
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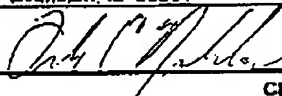
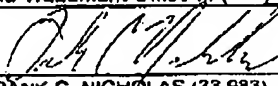
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UMA ARUN

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Filed: FEBRUARY 23, 2004

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FREE ALGORITHM FOR NOISE
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED JANUARY 14, 2005

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Dear Sir:

This is a response to an Office Action dated January 14, 2005. The Applicant
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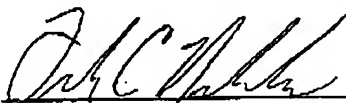
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Based on the Interview Summary dated February 3, 2005, Applicant makes no substantive response to the January 14, 2005, and will await the new office action as discussed in the February 3, 2005 interview summary.

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Respectfully submitted,
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